



Lesson 1.2 MPKI Cycle and Management

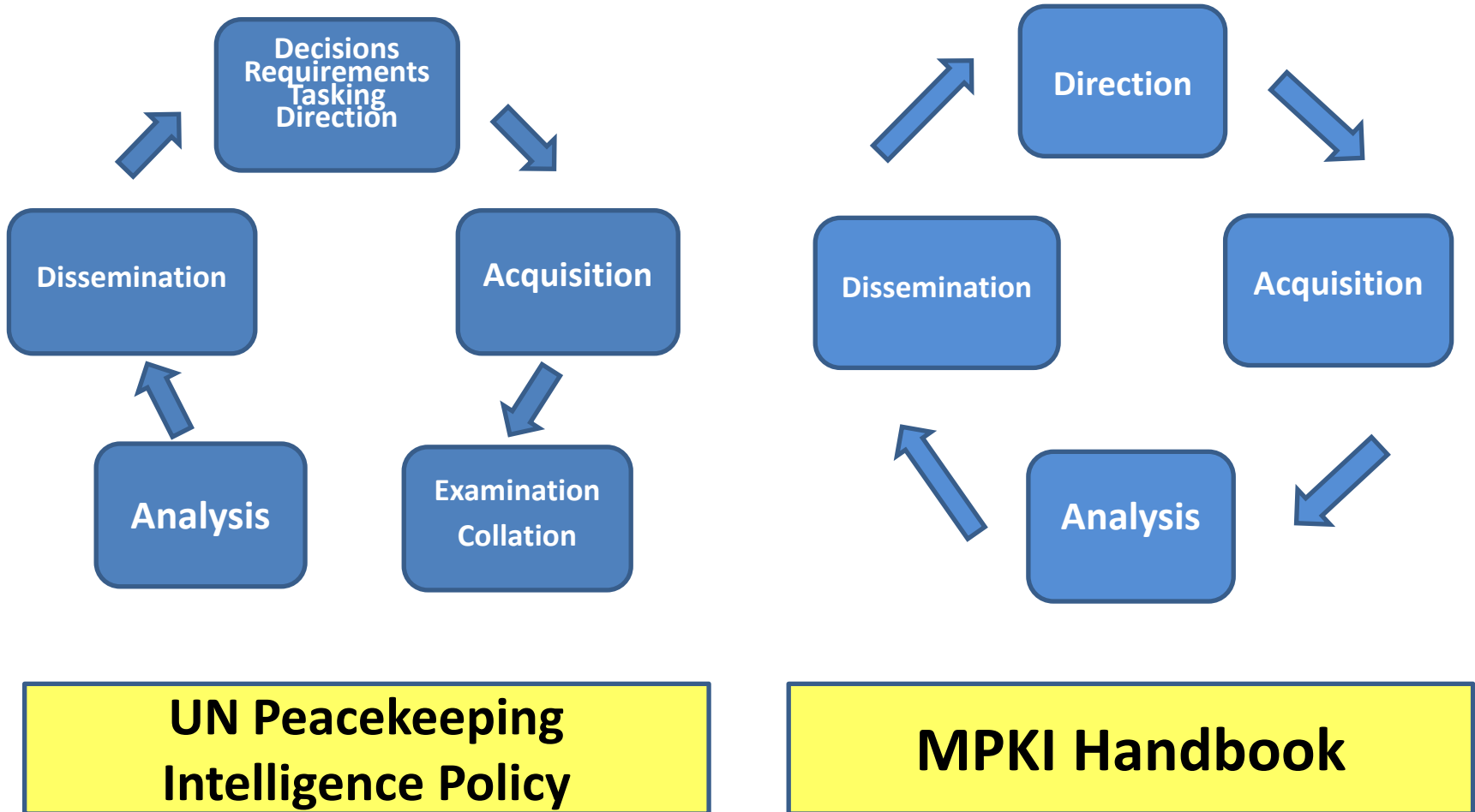
Lesson Contents

- MPKI cycle
- MPKI management tools

Learning Outcomes

- Identify the stages of the MPKI cycle
- Describe the MPKI management tools

MPKI Cycle



Direction

- Based on commander's mission / intent
- Staff identifies intelligence gaps
- Formalize IRs

Acquisition

- Data feed- analytical step of cycle
- The process involves identification, coordination, and tasking of assets
- Data and information from the broadest sources

Analysis

- Process where data and information is converted into intelligence
- Collation and integration- grouping and recording of information for retrieval, comparison and evaluation
- Evaluation- review of information to assess reliability and credibility

Analysis

- Analysis: the methodical breaking down of information into its component parts, examination of each to find interrelationships and the application of reasoning
- Interpretation: the interpretation of the new peacekeeping-intelligence against existing knowledge and assessment in order to refine predictive assessments

Dissemination

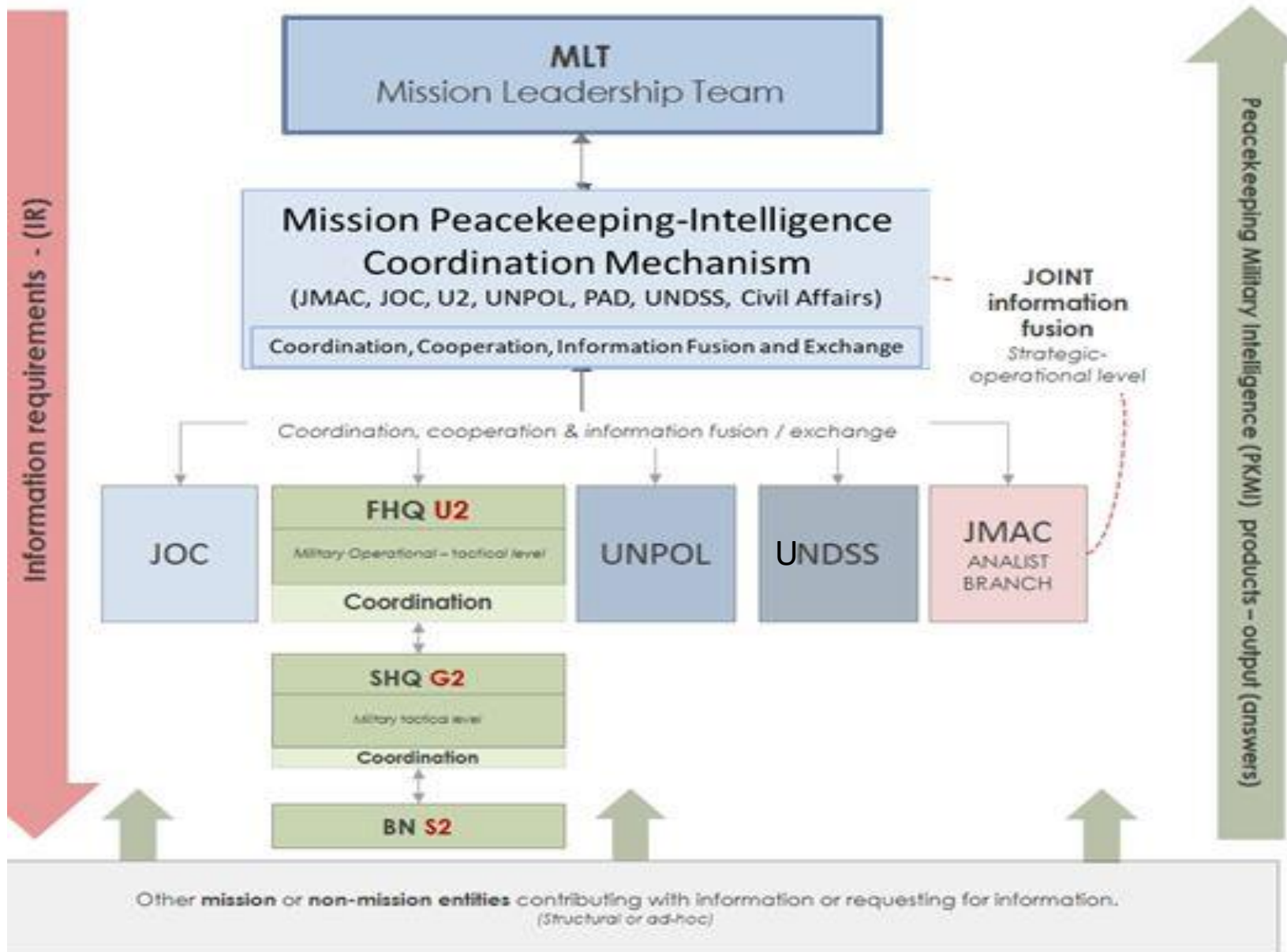
- Process of distributing formatted intelligence products
- For users in decision-making and planning
- Follows “need to know/need to share” concepts
- Human rights and humanitarian law violations must be reported

MPKI Management Systems and Tools

Mission Peacekeeping-Intelligence Coordination Mechanism (MICM)

- Missions shall establish an MICM to direct and oversee the peacekeeping-intelligence cycle
- Include JMAC, JOC, relevant components and UNDSS, etc.
- Done by standalone body or JMAC
- Coordinated by Mission Chief of Staff

Coordination Mechanism



Mission Peacekeeping-Intelligence Support Plan (MISP)

- A peacekeeping-intelligence concept of operations
- Acceptable and unacceptable methods for use
- Specific considerations to be observed
- Information management tools
- Arrangement for information sharing

Mission Information Acquisition Plan (MIAP)

- Most important direction tool
- Catalyst for MPKI cycle
- Living document
- Changes per developing situations
- Communicated to acquisition assets
- Basis for execution orders

Take Away

- MPKI principles inform all activities of UN peacekeeping operations of the management of intelligence
- The MPKI cycle is the process by which MPKI is acquired, analyzed and disseminated based on clearly identified requirements
- MPKI management tools ensure effective intelligence support to military decision making and mandate implementation

Questions